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<u>Cal</u>	_____	3,598,964	8/10/71	Dell	235	61.6	12/6/67
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,467,424	8/21/84	Hedges et al.	364	412	7/6/82
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,575,622	3/11/86	Pellegrini	235	382	7/29/83
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,636,951	1/13/87	Harlick	364	412	4/30/84
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,856,787	8/15/89	Itkis	273	237	5/3/88
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,880,237	11/14/89	Kishishita	273	138 A	12/29/87
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,926,996	5/22/90	Eglise et al.	194	212	6/22/87
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,038,022	8/6/91	Lucero	235	380	12/19/89
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,096,195	3/17/92	Gimmon	273	138 A	9/9/88
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,159,549	10/27/92	Hallman, Jr. et al.	364	412	4/16/87
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,179,517	1/12/93	Sarbin et al.	364	410	9/22/88
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,265,874	11/30/93	Dickinson et al.	273	138 A	1/31/92
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,287,269	2/15/94	Doirough et al.	364	408	7/9/90
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,321,241	6/14/94	Craine	235	380	3/19/93
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,326,104	7/5/94	Pease et al.	273	138 A	2/7/92
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,345,379	9/6/94	Brous et al.	364	146	6/17/91
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,371,345	12/6/94	LeStrange et al.	235	380	9/17/92
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,429,361	7/4/95	Raven et al.	273	138 A	9/23/91
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,470,079	11/28/95	LeStrange et al.	273	138 A	6/16/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,473,144	12/5/95	Mathurin, Jr.	235	380	5/27/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,477,040	12/19/95	Lalonde	235	380	5/23/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,559,312	9/24/96	Lucero	235	380	4/28/95
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,586,937	12/24/96	Menashe	463	41	5/19/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,655,961	8/12/97	Acres et al.	463	27	10/12/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,702,304	12/30/97	Acres et al.	463	29	6/6/95

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<u>CEL</u>	5,741,183	4/21/98	Acres et al.	463	42	6/6/95
<u>CEL</u>	5,752,882	5/19/98	Acres et al.	463	42	6/6/95
<u>CEL</u>	5,770,533	6/23/98	Franchi	463	42	5/2/94
<u>CEL</u>	5,820,459	10/13/98	Acres et al.	463	25	6/6/95
<u>CEL</u>	5,836,817	11/17/98	Acres et al.	463	26	6/6/95
<u>CEL</u>	5,854,542	12/29/98	Forbes	315	291	8/30/96

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<u>AU-A-21618/95</u>	<u>1/4/96</u>	<u>6/9/95</u>	<u>LeStrange et al.</u>
<u>AU-A-48323/97</u>	<u>6/25/98</u>	<u>11/12/97</u>	<u>Costello</u>
<u>WO 98/35309</u>	<u>8/13/98</u>	<u>2/10/98</u>	<u>Muir</u>
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<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,072,930	2/7/78	Lucero et al.	340	152 T	8/20/76
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,230,265	10/28/80	Casaly	235	455	5/7/79
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,283,709	8/11/81	Lucero et al.	340	147 R	1/29/80
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,335,809	6/22/82	Wain	194	1 R	1/29/80
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,669,596	6/2/87	Capers et al.	194	210	10/22/85
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,669,730	6/2/87	Small	273	138 A	11/5/84
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,679,143	7/7/87	Hagiwara	364	412	10/11/83
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,805,907	2/21/89	Hagiwara	273	138 A	3/3/86
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,815,741	3/28/89	Small	273	138 A	4/2/87
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,837,728	6/6/89	Barrie et al.	364	412	1/25/84
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,839,640	6/13/89	Ozer et al.	340	825.31	3/17/88
<u>Ced</u>	_____	4,964,638	10/23/90	Ishida	273	138 A	5/16/89
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,042,810	8/27/91	Williams	273	142	2/9/90
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,116,055	5/26/92	Tracy	273	138 A	7/2/91
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,123,649	6/23/92	Tiberio	273	143 R	7/1/91
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,135,224	8/4/92	Yamamoto et al.	273	143 R	1/15/91
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,249,800	10/5/93	Hilgendorf et al.	273	138 A	11/12/92
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,257,179	10/26/93	DeMar	364	410	10/11/91
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,280,909	1/25/94	Tracy	273	138 A	2/6/92
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,286,023	2/15/94	Wood	273	138 A	11/20/91
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,344,144	9/6/94	Canon	273	138 A	9/27/90
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,472,194	12/5/95	Breeding et al.	273	138 A	4/2/93
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,536,016	7/16/96	Thompson	273	269	9/26/94
<u>Ced</u>	_____	5,611,730	3/18/97	Weiss	463	20	4/25/95

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<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,674,128	10/7/97	Holch et al.	463	42	9/25/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,743,523	4/28/98	Kelly et al.	273	138.1	8/7/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,816,918	10/6/98	Kelly et al.	463	16	11/14/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,833,540	11/10/98	Miodunski et al.	463	42	9/24/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,839,956	11/24/98	Takemoto	463	25	3/7/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,559,312	9/24/96	Lucero	235	380	4/28/95
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,577,959	11/26/96	Takemoto et al.	463	25	6/23/94
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,902,983	5/11/99	Crevelt et al.	235	380	4/29/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,919,091	7/6/99	Bell et al.	463	25	10/21/97
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,761,647	6/2/98	Boushy	705	10	5/24/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,580,310	12/3/96	Orus et al.	763	16	3/15/96
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,197,094	3/23/93	Tillery et al.	379	91	6/15/90
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,882,473	11/21/89	Bergeron et al.	235	380	8/16/88
<u>Cal</u>	_____	4,764,666	8/16/88	Bergeron	235	380	9/18/87
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,816,917	10/6/98	Kelmer et al.	463	16	12/22/95
<u>Cal</u>	_____	5,811,772	9/22/98	Lucero	235	380	9/20/96

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<u>Cal</u>		4,624,459	11/25/86	Kaufman	273	143R
<u>Cal</u>		4,652,998	3/24/87	Koza et al.	364	412
<u>Cal</u>		4,760,247	7/26/88	Keane et al.	235	454
<u>Cal</u>		4,775,937	10/4/88	Bell	364	412
<u>Cal</u>		4,991,848	2/12/91	Greenwood et al.	273	143R
<u>Cal</u>		5,038,022	8/6/91	Lucero	235	380
<u>Cal</u>		5,103,081	4/7/92	Fisher et al.	235	464
<u>Cal</u>		5,265,874	11/30/93	Dickinson et al.	273	138A
<u>Cal</u>		5,280,909	1/25/94	Tracy	273	138 A
<u>Cal</u>		5,292,127	3/8/94	Kelly et al.	273	138 R
<u>Cal</u>		5,326,104	7/5/94	Pease et al.	273	138 A
<u>Cal</u>		5,370,306	12/6/94	Schulze et al.	273	138 A
<u>Cal</u>		5,371,345	12/6/94	LeStrange et al.	235	380
<u>Cal</u>		5,494,287	2/27/96	Manz	273	143
<u>Cal</u>		5,533,727	7/9/96	DeMar	463	23
<u>Cal</u>		5,580,309	12/3/96	Piechowiak	463	16
<u>Cal</u>		5,586,936	12/24/96	Bennett	463	25
<u>Cal</u>		5,758,875	6/2/98	Giacalone, Jr.	273	143 R
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<u>AU-B-71194/91</u>	<u>5/12/94</u>	<u>2/19/91</u>	<u>Hilgendorf et al.</u>
<u>AU-B-20988/92</u>	<u>1/28/93</u>	<u>8/12/92</u>	<u>Bennett</u>
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